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M'NAMARA WILL ASK FOR PAROLE

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 25.—John McNamara, serving fifteen years at San Quentin for the Los Angeles Times dynamiting, expects to appeal for parole Saturday. The International Ironworkers union has asked the Labor Council to endorse the parole plea.

FRENCH HOLD NEW POSITIONS DESPITE ATTACKS BY GERMANS

Capture of Cerneveda by Mackensen Means Much to Teutons, as It Practically Isolates Slav Forces In Rumania -- Rain Interferes With Somme Operations

[By United Press] PARIS, Oct. 25.—The violent German counters against the new French positions northeast of Verdun have failed.

German Report
[By United Press] BERLIN, Oct. 25.—General Mackensen has captured Cerneveda. The capture of this place is more important than that of Constanza, as it prevents Rumanian retreat over the Cerneveda bridge. Northeast of Verdun the French gained as far as Fort Donnauont, but fighting still continues. The rain is hindering the Somme operations. The French attacks at Rancourt have been repulsed. It is believed the big Slav forces, trapped east of the Danube in Dobrudja, are imperilled by the Cerneveda capture. In Transylvania the Teutons captured Vulkan pass and are attacking Sinaia. The Russians have lost 175,000 men since June 1st.

Abandon Their Positions
[By United Press] PETROGRAD, Oct. 25.—The Russo-Rumanians have abandoned their positions at Cerneveda, the eastern end of the bridge to old Rumania, under Teuton attacks. The Lasavla positions have also surrendered. The Slavs are retiring northward under the Teuton's attacks on the entire Dobrudja front.

Added Berlin Report
[By United Press] BERLIN, Oct. 25.—The Bulgarians have reached Caramurat and Dokuhor, eighteen miles northwest of Constanza, and are dispersing the Slav defenders. The Teutons are attacking north of Campolung. Elsewhere in Transylvania there are local attacks.

Prominent Catholic Priest Tells Why He Will Support President

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—The Pittsfield, Mass., News on its editorial page publishes the following comment on a tribute paid to President Wilson by the Rev. Father Bernard Conaty, pastor of St. Joseph's church of Pittsfield, who declared, in announcing his support of the president, that "we should all thank God every day on bended knees for the guidance of our great chief, which has brought peace and prosperity to this country."

"That is the great, overwhelming issue in this campaign. It is of far greater importance than mere politics; it touches the very heartstones of our homes, of our well-being. Hughes has said nothing to indicate what he would have done if he had been in President Wilson's place. He has not indicated what he will do if elected president. Abandonment of the foreign policies laid down by the president means war with Germany as surely as the coming of tomorrow."

"Voters all over the country are beginning to realize this fact and more and more they are indicating their intention of standing by President Wilson, who is growing in popularity and strength every day. Father Conaty also sounded a true note of patriotism when he said:

"Our streets are decorated with the emblem of freedom. We've flung the Stars and Stripes to the breeze to welcome back home those brave soldier boys who answered the call to arms issued by the president."

"Republican spellbinders are not pressing loudly these days the early contention that the 'Mexican mess' was just Democratic campaign timber. They have come to realize, even those who passed three days on the border, that the troops were sent

GREAT EXCITEMENT ON BOARD AS WHEAT NEARS \$2 MARK

December Sells Above \$1.86 and May \$1.80 -- Many Who Bought as Low \$1.06 Make Fortunes-- Little Offered as Higher Prices Are Looked for

[By United Press] CHICAGO, Oct. 25.—Wheat near the \$2 mark today when it jumped to \$1.86, after opening a cent higher than at yesterday's close. At the close today December sold at \$1.80 3/4 and May at \$1.80 1/2. There was wild excitement. Several operators, who bought heavily when wheat was at \$1.06, made big fortunes. Only small quantities of wheat are offered now as higher prices are still looked for.

WORLD EVENTS

[By United Press] NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—An explosion this morning, which the police believe was caused by a bomb, damaged the Lexington Avenue subway station two minutes after a crowded train passed. There were no injuries. Nearby windows were wrecked. The police say the bomb was planted in the station.

To Protect Rumania
[By United Press] LONDON, Oct. 25.—Lloyd-George in addressing the house of commons today said the Allies were taking all possible steps to protect Rumania.

Officer and Man Killed
[By United Press] WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—The commandant of the American marines at Santo Domingo has reported to Secretary Daniels that an officer and soldier were killed in the recent engagement. Ramon Batisti was killed.

Big Majority for Democratic Ticket In Elko, Says Harris

RENO, Oct. 25.—"Affairs in Elko county look very promising," said J. C. Harris, Democratic sheriff of Elko county, who is up for re-election. "Our friends the enemy, practically concede a large Democratic majority which will give Wilson and Pittman a big lead there, but will carry the county ticket along as well. Owing to the fact that business has carried me elsewhere, I have not had opportunity to canvass the county personally but am now about to do so. The reports I have been getting from my friends and office associates are very reassuring, however, especially since the visit of Pittman, Caine, Sanders and Kennett. Of course, Caine and Kennett are Elko county men and since they are personally very popular they will poll a heavy vote, those that know them having every confidence in their ability to fill the offices they are seeking."

"Senator Pittman made a splendid impression on his recent speech-making tour, as did also Judge Sanders. They were greeted everywhere with large and enthusiastic audiences."

"Of course, you heard of the flag incident which caused Anne Martin and her friends so much indignation. I have had women tell me since that there would not be ten female votes against Wilson and Pittman in Elko if that banner had remained."

In discussing the land bill now being so consistently misrepresented by Platt and Miller, Sheriff Harris said that the people of Elko were becoming pretty well informed as to its provisions and are not allowing themselves to be fooled by the sophistries of Pittman's opponents.

"I'm a Republican," spoke up A. M. Bruce, also of Elko, who was a party to the discussion, "but I be-

7th INFANTRY MUSTERED OUT

[By United Press] LOS ANGELES, Oct. 25.—The Second infantry detrained and made camp this morning. The artillery and cavalry at Nogales has not yet received orders to prepare to entrain. A physical examination of the men of the Seventh infantry is being made preparatory to mustering them out, which started today.

EMBASSY DENIES REPORT THAT CARRANZA WILL LEAVE MEXICO

Villa and His Band Now Retiring Towards San Isidro, Twenty Miles West of Chihuahua -- Are Being Pursued by Government Troops-- Many Refugees Arriving El Paso

[By United Press] WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—General Funston reports that the Carranzistas say that troops are moving north from Parral against Villa. Mexican embassy officials deny the reports that Carranza is preparing to abdicate and flee Mexico.

Villistas Retiring
EL PASO, Oct. 25.—Refugees arriving here say that the main body of the Villistas is voluntarily retiring toward San Isidro, pursued by the Carranzistas. The Carranzistas did not know this until their outposts withdrew after covering Villa's retreat. The outposts and rear guard are now at Palomas, twenty miles west of Chihuahua City.

Presidential Elector Deserts Republican Party for Wilson

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Oct. 25.—J. W. Dawson, of this city, coal operator, last night, in a letter to State Chairman Joseph H. Gaines of the Republican State committee, asked that his name as a Hughes elector at large be withdrawn from the Republican ticket.

Put Storey in Line for the Democrats

The Pittman party had one of the largest and most enthusiastic meetings in Virginia City last evening that has been held in that city for years. The large theater was packed and jammed, standing room not even to be had. Then entire party was received with an ovation such as has seldom been seen in that mining camp.

Senator Pittman was listened to with close attention and his explanation of the Pittman land grant bill set the minds of a great many at rest regarding the benefits that the state will receive from sales and rentals of land now being used free by the cattle-men for grazing purposes. He refuted all the arguments made by Platt and Grant Miller in their opposition to the bill in such an earnest and convincing manner that it was evident that if there had been serious opposition to the measure it was removed by his statements.

Judge Sanders as usual caught the crowd by his quaint and humorous remarks, while Ed Caine, in Roberts' own bailiwick, made many friends, as also did W. Kennett.

Before reaching Virginia City a telephone message was received from Silver City requesting the party to stop there and make some short addresses. The request was promptly complied with and the entire party met the people of that bustling little mining camp and an outdoor meeting was held before a large and appreciative crowd. From the reception in Silver and Virginia City it is safe to say that Storey county will give a big Democratic majority for President Wilson, Senator Pittman and the entire Democratic ticket.

Stole Ford Auto; Wanted in Oakland

Special Automobile Officer William J. Emigh of Oakland, arrived in Carson this morning with requisition papers from Governor Johnson to Governor Boyle requesting an executive warrant for the arrest and return to that state of Ira Wallace and Ernest Dumsing, two auto thieves. The complaint charges them with grand larceny in stealing a Ford auto of the value of \$400 from Irving Sonnabend of Oakland on October 17th.

The pair were arrested in Reno by Chief of Police J. D. Hillhouse on October 22d for stealing auto tires and other automobile supplies and they were identified as the two men wanted in Oakland. They are being held in custody in Reno and will be taken to Oakland by Officer Emigh to stand trial, as soon as the papers are signed by the governor, which will probably be this afternoon.

SPECIAL MEETING
A special meeting of the North Side Improvement club is called for Thursday evening at the Arlington hotel parlor. Matters of importance are to be discussed and it is hoped that each member will be present.

Miss Mamie Berning returned yesterday from a two weeks' vacation spent on the coast.